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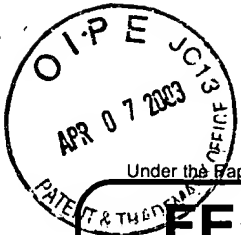
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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1204 84	2204 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
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1255 1,970	2255 985	Extension for reply within fifth month	
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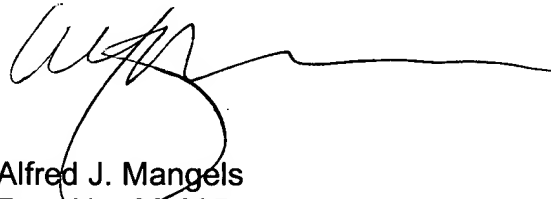
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Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.123, applicants hereby request the approval of the examiner for the drawing changes shown in red on the attached, marked-up photocopies of Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9a, and 10 of the drawings. The changes involve the addition to Figures 1 through 4 of the legend "Prior Art"; the extension in Figure 1 of the lead line for reference numeral 6; the addition to Figure 5 of reference numeral 70; the division of Figure 9a into Fig. 9a and Fig. 9b; and the designation of the ordinate axis as $|\alpha|$, instead of " (α) ."

Also attached hereto is a set of corrected formal drawings that incorporate the above-identified corrections and that each include the sheet numbers at the top.

Acceptance and entry of the attached corrected formal drawings and their substitution for the corresponding sheets of the originally-filed drawings is also respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Alfred J. Mangels', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

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